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FRANCIS W. HAY. Juhnstown, March 7, 1867.-Cm.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PAICES TO CASH BUYERS! AT THE EBENSBURG

HOUSE-FURNISHING STORE

The undersigned respectfully informs the citizens of Ebeneburg and the public gener ally that he has made a great reduction in prices to CASH BUYERS. My stock will consist, in part, of Cooking, Parlor and Heating Stores, of the most popular kinds; Tin-ware of every description, of my own man-Apple Parers, Pen and Pocket Knives in great variety, Scissors, Shears, Razors and Strops, Axes, Hatchets, Hammers, Boring Machines, Augers, Chissels, Planes, Compasses, Squares, Files, Rasps, Anvils, Vises, Wrenches, Rip, Panel and Cross-Cut Saws, Chains of all kinds, Shovels, Spades, Scythes and Snaths, Rakes, Forks, Sleigh Bells, Shoe Lasts, Pegs, Wax Bristles, Clothes Wringers, Grind Stones, Patent Molasses Gazes and Measures, Lumber Sticks, Horse Nails, Horse Shoes, Cast Steel, Rifles, Shot Gans, Revolvers, Pistols, Cartridges, Powlder, Caps, Lead, &c., Odd Stove Plates, Grates and Fire Bricks, Well and Cistern Pumps and Tubing; Harness and Saddlery Ware of all kind; Wooden and Willow Ware Vare of all kind; Wooden and Willow Ware great variety; Carbon Oil and Oil Lamps, ish Oil, Lard Oil, Linseed Oil, Lubricating Oil, Rosin, Tar, Glassware, Paints, Varaish s, Turpentine, Alcohol, &c.

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Measburg, Feb. 28, 1867.-tf.

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PARM FOR SALE.—The sub- Tales, Sketches, Anecdotes, &c. scriber offers at private sale his FARM, situated in Cambria township, two miles east of Ebensburg, on the road leading to Loretto. The Farm consists of 80 Acres, more or less, about 64 Acres of which are cleared, under good fence, and in a good state of cultivation. The balance of the land is well set with sugar, chestnut, locust and other marketable timber. There is a comfortable FRAME HOUSE and a FRAME BARN on the premises, and an Orchard of My stock consists in part of every variety of choice Fruit Trees that have never yet failed to bear. There is also a never-failing spring of pure water and other necessary conveniences on the premises. The Farm will be

Further information can be obtained by applying to CHARLES BRADLEY. Cambria Tp., May 23, 1867.-tf.

when ordered at manufacturer's prices.—
Odd Stove Plates and Grates, &c., for repairs, on hand for the Stoves I sell; others will be ordered when wanted. Particular cleared, under good fence, and in excellent farming condition. The improvements consist of a two-story PLANE HOUSE and a large FRAME BARN, both in good preservation, as well as all other necessary out-buildings. An extensive orchard of choice fruit trees and never-failing springs of excel-lent water are on the premises. Further in-formation can be obtained by making appli-cation to DANIEL O'HARA. Munster Tp., May 80, 1867.-tf20

> VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE? situated in Carroll township, Cambria county, about 24 miles from Carrolltown borough on the road leading to Hinebaugh's Mill Said Farm contains over 82 acres, most of it cleared and under good fence, with a com-fortable two-story Plank House and Log Burn thereon erected. There is a large or no dog with him. This circumstance the ancient time-piece is beyond the reach chard of excellent fruit and several springs caused him to stop and look at the figure of human ken; but the most exceptical of pure water on the premises—one of the latter close to the house—as well as a stream of water running through the middle of the land. This property will be sold on fair and easy terms. For further information

DRIVATE SALE. —The subscriber offers at Private Sale two valuable tracts of TIMBER LAND, situate in Jackson township, Cambria county, and known ished in the di as the "Lloyd Property." Also—Four other valuable tracts of LAND, situate in Cambris and Jackson townshipe, and known as the "Peneacola Property?" Anso—TWO FARMS adjoining the borough of Ebensburg -one containing about 100 acres; the other about 159 acres. The buildings are all in good repair, with never-failing springs of water near the houses.

Persons wishing to purchase or sell Farms or Timber Lands, will do well by calling on me before buying or offering them for ealc. F. A. SHOEMAKER, for saic. ap.11.tf. Att'y at Law, Ebensburg.

AND FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale, on the most reasonable terms, her tract of land situated in afacture; Hardware of all kind, such as | Chest township, Cambria county, within two Locks, Screws, Butt Hinges, Table Hinges, Bhutter Hinges, Bolts, Iron and Nails, Window Glass, Putty, Table Knives and Forks, With good House and Barn thereon erected, an orchard and never-failing spring of excel-Apple Parers, Pen and Pocket Knives in lent water. The land is productive, in good

June 20, 1867.-1y. PHILADELPHIA.

MAUTION .- Having purchased at Constable Sale (suits of Washington Douglass vs. Lucas Moyer and E. & H. Nuttuch as Tea, Coffee, Sugars, Molasses, S7rups, Spices, Dried Peaches, Dried Apples,
Fish, Hominy, Crackers, Rice and Pearl
Barley; Soaps, Candles; TOBACCO and
CIGARS; Paint, Whitewash, Scrub, Horse,
with said property, as it is subject to my ter vs. Lucas Moyer) one Bay Mare and one Cow, and left the same in possession of said with said property, as it is subject to my order and disposal. JOSEPH MOYER.

St. Augustine, June 27, 1867.-8t.

TOTICE.—All persons knowing themselves indebted to me by note or themselves indebted to me by note or the pat low rates for cash. A liberal discount book account of over six months standing. ade to country dealers buying Thoware are requested to pay up within thirty days less from the fall. The only witness to holesale.

GEO. HUNTLEY of this date, or they will find their accounts the accident was the cat, which ran to anlection. A strict compliance with this notice will save costs. GEO. HUNTLEY. will save costs. GEO. HU Ebensburg, June 20, 1867.

THE RISING SUN STOVE POL-

the ruins of which have almost entirely ordinary series of subterranean passages, which, it is said, have never been thor-Cambria Tp., May 23, 1867.-tf.

A CHANCE FOR A BARGAIN.

—FARM FOR SALE.—The Farm owned and occupied by the subscriber, situated in Munster township, Cambria county, four miles south-east of Ebensburg and one-fourth mile from Samuel O'Hara's Mill, confourth mile from Samuel O'Hara's Mill, containing 121 ACRES and allowance, is offered with of a cine, have become bewindered, and perished of hunger. Some attribute them to human hands, and some to natural solutions and some to natural solutions. It is only certain that they are there, and that no one is able to give any account of them. As to the building, whose foundations alone are visible among the bushes, it is said to have been an ancient costle belonging to some horself been an ancient costle belonging to some horself been and the father went down and been an ancient costle belonging to some horself been beginning to some thereof the parties were living in 1857, while all the parties were living in 1857, been an ancient castle belonging to some brought back the body. former dukes of Saxony.

Some few years ago, a friend of ours, killed by the falling of a yard on the Herr Helmold, of Weimar, was in the schooner Atlanta, while at Sandusky, and habit of making frequent visits to Ober- the Coroner there forwarded the effects of wisms, a village at the end of the park, the deceased to his parents among them

was set, he was passing along this road first three months after reaching Virginia. in a thick fog. illuminated by the moon; He had the watch until his death, which appearance in the mist beside him, which rents here by Captain Jeffers, of Co. G. at first he did not pay much attention to. The fourth son, Albert, went to Saginaw as he thought it might be the reflection last winter, carrying the watch, ag of his own form. After a while, how- the advice of his parents, and his death ever, it struck him that the image which when, to his horror, he observed that & wanted a head.

Herr Helmold walked toward it-it retired; he ran from it-it followed him; apply to the undersigned at Lilly's Station, be fell into his usual pace—it continued or to Archibald Smith, on the farm.

my 80.48m DAVID SMITH.

but it did not apawer. to keep step with him.; he addressed it, but it did not answer.

Herr Helmold is a Catholic. In mortal terror, he mechanically made the sign of the cross. The ghost immediately vanished in the direction of the remains of

There is an old tradition connected with the scene of this adventure, that a former duke of Saxony caused his son to be beheaded for some fearful family crimeeither the murder of his own mother, or an intrigue similar to that which forms the foundation of Lord Byron's "Parasi-

At Berks, a small bathing place among the hills, seven miles from Weimar, there is also to be seen, on a wooden knoll, the site of a ruined castle, from which the Grand Duke of Weimar derives his title of Count Berks. The old people of Berks still talk of a headless apparition which used to haunt it, and which often appeared to their grandfathers.

SHERMAN'S DUPLICATE PLANS:-The following anecdote of the war we do not remember to have seen before : Sherman on his march toward Atlanta constantly astonished the confederates with the facility with which he restored the railroad bridges they destroyed at his approach. They would annihilate a bridge just before he arrived, and the next morning there it was again, just as it had been before they touched it. At last a light dawned upon them. The original plans for the bridges had all been furnished from Cleveland, Ohio, and before Sherman started he took those plans, had each bridge duplicated in all its timbers and iron work, took the ieces in a "shook" state on his train, and so, when he found a bridge gone, he had nothing to do but get its mate out of the freight cars, bolt it together, and put it up. This thing worried the confederates a good deal when they found it out. One day they proposed to destroy the Dalton tunnel, to hinder Sherman's march, but an exasperated Confederate said : "What in the nation's the use? That d—d old Sherman probably fetched another one along with him from Cleveland!"

Ar Beaver Dam, Wisconsin, recently little child fell down stairs and lay sense other part of the house, where the child's mother was at work and mewed vigorously, at the same time running back and forth from the room to the stairway by which means the mother's attention was attracted and the child cared for.

TREAT every one with kindness,

A FATAL WATCH.

We do not believe in dreams and super-THE HEADLESS GHOST.

Near the town of Weimar, in Saxony, on the right of the long alley planted with chesnuts, that leads from the town up to the summer palace of the grand duke at Belvidere, there is a spot bare of the grand duke at Discovery and a long time resided in this Belvidere, there is a spot bare of the grand duke at Discovery and a long time resided in this Belvidere. the summer palace of the grand duke at Belvidere, there is a spot bare of trees, showing the site of some ancient building, odd whims and notions, and it will no doubt be just as well to suppress their disappeared. Near this site, among the names. Together with a trunk, books, brushwood, are openings to a most extrahere from Saginaw last Saturday night, came an old fashioned, English watch. oughly explored. Some say that human commonly known as a "bull's eye," and bones have been found in them; others, it is of this that we have a strange tale to that persons endeavoring to explore them relate. The time-piece was taken of a without a clue, have become bewildered, widow woman in exchange for a coin in

The next son, Henry, in 1859, was one of the ways to which lies through the being the watch. The third son, James, Belvidere Allee. One evening in October, after the sun and tented with the writer of this for the as he passed the spot where the ancient occurred at Fair Oaks, in June, 1862, stie formerly stood, he was aware of an and the watch was forwarded to his paand the return of the watch are recorded followed his steps so closely was accom-at the beginning of this article. Whether panied by the image of a dog, and he had a fatality will ever attend all who carry can but admit that the death of four brothers in succession, so far apart and se widely different, and each carrying the watch at the time of his death, is a singular fact to say the least. - Lansing Demo-

A MAN-WOLF.

Rev. Dr. Butler, the well-known Methodist missionary who established the mission of that church in India in 1856, recently returned to this country. makes the following statement of a remarkable case :

In 1859 a British soldier, while bearing dispatch from one magistrate to another in the kingdom of Oude, passed an unfrequented ravine, where he saw a pack of wolves, and with them a human being, evidently one of their company. Immediately turning back he reported the cirmstance to the magistrate for whom he was traveling. The latter forthwith mus-tered a number of coolies and went to the lace. The pack of wolves fled a short distance, and sought refuge in a sort of cave or den. Beginning to dig, the party soon discovered the feet of the wild man, and, drawing him forth, succeeded in binding and carrying him to town. Dr. Butler has seen him often since, and says he is evidently a man, and at the time of his capture apparently about twenty-four

The captured creature at first violently esisted the attempt to put clothing upon him, but after a while ceased to tear the garment. He is now kept by a gentle-man in the city of Thabje Vampore, some ight hundred miles west of Calcutta. When first taken he was unwilling to eat anything but raw meat, and has never been able to speak or make any approximation to a knowledge of the alphabet. If any one looks carnestly or sharply at him, he expresses his annoyance by a half-uttered grunt, immediately turning away and setting upon his haunches in a corner of the room, or lies down. He eats his food off the ground, and although avident. food off the ground, and although evident-ly a human being, is inhabits a wolf, with the instincts of that beast.

This is certainly an anomalous fact in natural history, although it is said that four similar cases are known to have occurred in India, presenting the same gen-

rival in an invention recently perfected, by which wearing apparel of all kinds—

A SAD STORY.

The Watertown Reformer gives the details of a sad chapter in the recent dis-aster on Lake Ontario. Among the passengers of the steamer Wisconsin, burned near Cape Vincent, was a Mr. Chisholm, from Canadas, on his way to Missouri, in company with his wife and hildren, six in number. He was a man about fifty-five years old, had bought a farm in the State to which he was traveling, and was moving with his family and goods. When the fire broke out he was sitting on deck, but his wife and children had retired for the night. One of the small boats was let down to within about a foot of the water, and about twenty passengers leapt into it, and Mr. Chisholm assisted his wife, three daughters and a son to get in. One of the frightened crowd cut with the knife a rope which connected the bow of the small boat with the davit, and the loosened end dropped down like a spoon, and at once

been lost, Mrs. Chisholm, the three daughters, aged respectively, twenty-seven and fifteen and the boy of eleven years were all drowned. The father and the two elder boys, who stuck to the boat, were saved." Mr. Chisholm had \$4000 four children, without money or property, with his great grief resting on his soul, to commence the world anew. The bodies of his wife and children were recovered, and have been interred in the graveyard at Cape Vincent, and the sad heart broken sband and tather, with his two remainng sons, will go on to his homeless home in the West. Few life dreams have sadder chapters than this.

A Good Jons. Many years ago, when church organs came in use, a worthy old clergyman was pastor of a church where they had just purchased an organ Not far from the church was a large town pasture, where a great many cattle grazed, and among them a large buil. One hot Sabbath, Mr. Bull came up near the church grazing, and just as the Rev. Mr. B---- was in the midst of his sermon--"boo-woo-woo" went the bull.

The parson paused, looked up at the nging scats, and, with a grave face, said: "I would thank the musicians not to tune their instruments during service; it annoys me very much."

The people stared, and the minister "Boo-wo-wo," went the bull again, as

he drew a little nearer the church. The parson paused again and addressed "I really wish the singers would not

tone their instruments while I am preach-The congregation tittered, for they knew what the real cause of the disturbance was. The old parson went on again, and he

had just about started good, when *Boo-woo' came from Mr. Bull. The minister paused once more and ex-

"I have requested the musicians in the ng the sermon. I now particularly reseet Mr. L that he will not tone

This was too much. L- got up, too much agitated at the idea of speaking out in church, and stammered out : "It is-isn't me, Parson, it-it is that d-d town bull."

THE Hamilton Telegraph relates the ribute the funds in the hands of an adtice of the sitting of the auditor was pubished in two of the county papers. It so Sicilian earthquake, evinces the streng or eight hundred dollars, from neglect of taking a county paper, never heard of the audit until the report of the auditor had been confirmed by the court. They then rel of all kinds— came to town to inquire about the likelishirts, pantaloons, vests, skirts, ladies mantles, jackets, coats, &c., &c., are both woven and sewed at the same time. The sewing of the seams is stronger even than hand-sewing, and perfectly smooth, and the articles are woven and sewed of any pattern, of wool, silk, cotton, or any ether material.

hood of securing their claims; called upon an attorney, who examined into the matter, and informed them that they had forever lost their money; and, we presume, charged them five dollars for the information. All this resulted from being too penning it than by any other way I Because the subscribe for a county newspaper.

AN UNFORTUNATE PLIGHT.

The Dubuque Herald is responsible for the following humorous sketch of the mis-fortunes of an Iowa clergyman;

Thursday last, among the goods ex-pressed from the West by the D. & S. R. R., were a number of baskets of her fruit. Two or three stations this side of that at which they were placed upon a car, an ex-minister of huge proportions stepped into the express car to speak with the messenger. The eggs were in the west end of the car, and our clerical friend accidentally took his position in front of them, with his back towards the eggs. While the twain were conversing, the train suddenly started forward. The reverend gentleman was taken unawa by the unexpected jerk, and be lost his balance. He found it in the basket of eggs just in his rear. The result of this ministerial on-set—if we may so term it—baffles all description. Of course the contents of the basket came to an unlucky. filled with water.

The passengers were thrown out and nearly all drowned. This happened not more than a minute and a half before the steamer struck the shore on Grenadier dozen, and successfully accomplished. Island, and had all remained on board, as the same result, as any one could see the Captain ordered, not a life would have But though backward in getting into that undignified position, he was by no means backward in getting out. He arected himself and examined himself. Any mem-ber of his church, if present, would have recegnized in him not only a faithful fellow were saved. Mr. Chisholm had \$4000 laborer, but an earnest yolk fellow. For a minute he stood motionless, except as he was in his wife's satchel and was destroyed by the flames. Thus he was left | undecided and uncertain way waved his in a strange land, a widower, bereft of hands with the air of a man who had been egged on to desperation. He certainly presented a ludicrous aspect. As the precions ciatment ran down Auron's beard. so the albuminous unguent ran down the preacher's trowser legs, spreading in transucent liquidness upon the floor about his feet. The express messenger took the stove hearth and did what he could towards cleaning his friend off-a novel way of seraping an acquaintance.

> HERE WE COME -There was a wedding in a church in a village near Chicago, recently, which was attended by a crowd of people, the bride being a famous belle in this section, and the bridegroom a late army officer. There is a story about him that was revived with great effect at the wedding. He was in the western frontier service, and one day (so the story goes) he went out to hunt a bear. He had been away from camp a few hours, when his voice was heard faintly in the distance ex-

> In a little time the same cry was heard ogain, but nearer; then it was repeated at intervals, nearer and louder; when finally the bold captain emerged from a bit of woods near the camp, running at the top of his speed, without a coat, hat or gun In he came to camp shouting "Here we

"Here who comes !" inquired a brother

"Why, me and the game," garped the officer, pointing to a big bear who showed himself at the edge of the woods, took a look at the camp, and then, with a growl at missing his expected meal of the captain, disappeared in the woods again.
"But why didn't you shoot the bear, and then bring him in ?" inquired one."

game ?" said the captain, testily, "when you can bring it in alive, as I did ?".

The story got home before the captain his double base organ while I am preach- did, and was in everybody's mouth. The other night as the bold captain led his intended bride into the church with the pride and grace so readily inspired by the occasion, some wicked wag sang out from "Here we come ?"

Which was followed by such a shout of laughter as that old church never heard

An ancedote recorded by Sir William Hamilton, in his account of the clearing away of some demolished houses after a pened that a few creditors residing in of maternal affection. " Beneath the tain portion of the county, who had ruins," says he, "the men were discovered claims to collect to the amount of seven in the attitude of resistance, and the wo-